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FABRICATING SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT CHIPS USING  
THE CONDUCTOR POST, AND METHOD OF PROBING SEMICONDUCTOR  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 21, 2003, the period for response having been extended one (1) month to July 21, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.